



FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION
WASHINGTON, D C 20463

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Via Facsimile and First Class Mail
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RE: MUR 5453
William Wittman
Greg Bedula

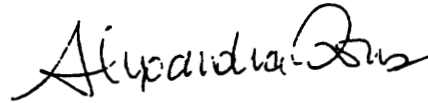
Dear Mr. Pavlis:

This is to confirm our conversation on Monday, February 14, 2005, and to respond to your letter of the same date, in which you requested an extension until February 28, 2005 to submit a response to the Commission's finding of reason to believe that William Wittman and Greg Bedula knowingly and willfully violated 2 U.S.C. § 441f, provision of the Federal Election Campaign Act of 1971, as amended. You informed me by telephone that Mr. Wittman received notification of the Commission's findings on January 31, 2005 and Mr. Bedula received notification of the Commission's findings on February 1, 2005.

The Office of the General Counsel has agreed to your request for more time to respond.

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Very truly yours,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Alexandra Dumas".

Alexandra Dumas
Attorney

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